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AN ACT

To amend chapter 208, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the Medicaid home- and community-based waiver.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 208, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 208.805, to read as follows:

**208.805. In determining Medicaid eligibility for and providing Medicaid benefits
2 to persons eligible for services through a home- and community-based waiver pursuant to
3 Section 1915C of the federal Social Security Act, the department of social services shall,
4 subject to appropriations, use the same age restrictions, division of assets and income
5 allowances that are used in subsection 1 of section 208.152 when determining Medicaid
6 eligibility for and providing Medicaid benefits to persons eligible for institutional care.
7 The department shall apply to the United States Department of Health and Human
8 Services for a Medicaid waiver amendment to the home and community-based waiver if
9 such amendment is necessary to implement the provisions of this section.**